



COUNTY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVE

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WHAT IS CCP?

CCP is a voluntary partnership initiative developed by TCI to assist in measures to address jail issues

Partnership Agencies: CTAS, MTAS, TSA, TN County Services Association, Association of County Mayors, and Tennessee Association of Chiefs of Police

Major Stakeholders: County Executives, Mayors, Finance Directors, Sheriffs, Chiefs, Commissioners, Other Elected Officials and designated employees

CCP MISSION PLAN

Groups are tasked with formulating a plan to address current, past and present issues dealing with the upgrading of Tennessee Jails and State Minimum Standards.

County specific: Designed to correct deficiencies or findings whether under a plan of action; currently non-certified; or being considered for decertification by the Board of Control.

CCP GOALS

Develop a program or venue to work with every local correctional facility to assist in working toward and/or continuing TCI certification.

Work in unison with a good faith effort, while documenting immediate and future needs, instead of ignoring present status.

CCP MISSION OBJECTIVES



Work with major stakeholders within each county, to structure a more advanced delivery system of technical and compliance support in relation to jail issues.



Work diligently toward addressing issues concerning State Minimum Standards for Local Corrections Facilities – TCA 41-4-140 and pending revisions as required by the rule making change process.

CCP MISSION OUTCOMES



Upgrade correctional training assignments, delivery system and curriculum.



Development of a measure to simultaneously bring all interested agencies together.



Development of strategies to address retaining or regaining county jail and local correctional facility certification status with a more defined communications approach.



Development of an educational awareness in relation to include the TCI Board of Control's decertification process and its effect on government and related service agencies.

GENERAL PROJECT CONSENSUS

Proactive vs. Reactive with positive results.

Specific, measurable, attainable, realistic, time oriented approach that benefits all parties.

Tremendous cost saving measure to all agencies and personnel.

Tremendous impact on the designated use of taxpayer dollars and collected revenue.

Provides enhanced, coordinated delivery of service in a variety of ways related to training and technical assistance.

GENERAL CONSENSUS CONTINUED



Eliminates unnecessary expenditures, time and duplication among agency personnel and county administrative staff.



Provides major stakeholders an avenue to communicate, participate and support one another in their own local setting.



Develops problem solving initiatives with identified issues to address present and future needs.

NEEDS ASSESSMENT AND PERFORMANCE MEASURES



Method to document needs.



Offers every county or municipality a voice.



Opens lines of communication within all agencies.



Provides each entity an opportunity to have direct input into TCI standard revisions and/or training needs statewide.



Individual partnerships could also be used as a "needs assessment group" for grant purposes



Used to evaluate TCI performance measures and address future budgetary issues.